

42055 and 42056—Continued.

slender, falcate, straw colored, brownish or blackish, 3 to 4 inches long, and burst open readily at maturity. Though very productive of seed, the vining habit of the plant, as well as the shattering, makes it difficult to harvest." (*C. V. Piper, Bulletin of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, No. 119, p. 13.*) For further information this bulletin should be consulted.

See S. P. I. Nos. 33098 and 38441 for previous introductions.

42057. PRUNUS BOKHARIENSIS Royle. Amygdalaceæ. Plum.

From Simla, Punjab, India. Presented by Mr. E. Long, superintendent, Viceregal Gardens. Received March 7, 1916.

"Commonly known as *Alloobokhara*." (*Long.*)

Seeds sent in reply to the following request: "We are inclosing a photograph of a specimen of *Prunus* in the Kew Herbarium, England, which came originally from Simla, India. This was labeled *Prunus bokhariensis*, but we do not know for certain if this is authentic. It seems to have more than one common name and is known as *Alucha* and *Aru bokhara*. It was found at Simla apparently in what is there known as the Annandale Garden and is therefore known as the *Annandale plum*. It is also growing in the Service Club Compound at Simla and in the Kakheri Compound. This plum somewhat resembles *Prunus triflora* (*P. salicina*), but we believe it to be a distinct species, and it appears to be of much value in breeding work."

42058 to 42065.

From Keijo, Chosen (Korea). Presented by Miss Katherine Wambold. Received February 28, 1916. Descriptive notes by Miss Wambold.

42058. CHAETOCHLOA ITALICA (L.) Scribn. Poaceæ. Millet.
(*Setaria italica* Beauv.)

"*Chō*, ground and made into *dok*, solid dumpling, coarser dumpling, or cooked as *pop*, that is, as rice is cooked."

42059. SOJA MAX (L.) Piper. Fabaceæ. Soy bean.

"*Kong*. Cooked, pressed, hung all winter to rafters, then soaked in a brown liquid called *chang*, used as a salty sauce on food. It is parched and then eaten. A few partly cooked grains are often scattered in the rice, as we use raisins in a rice pudding."

42060. HOLCUS SORGHUM L. Poaceæ. Sorghum.
(*Sorghum vulgare* Pers.)

"*Soo soo*. Ground and made into flour for *dok*, a solid bread like a fallen dumpling; also cooked as *pop*, boiled rice."

42061. HORDEUM VULGARE COELESTE L. Poaceæ. Barley.

"*Po rée*, cooked as rice is cooked; parched and made into coffee; ground into flour and made into *yot*, looking like molasses candy; sprouted and ground, mixed with rice, to make *comju*, a sort of rice soup."

42062. PERILLA FRUTESCENS (L.) Britton. Menthaceæ. Perilla.
(*Perilla ocymoides* L.)

"*Tui gai*. Oil is extracted from the seeds and used on the paper which covers the mud floors. It is used also on skin shoes."

42063. PHASEOLUS ANGULARIS (Willd.) W. F. Wight. Fabaceæ. Adzuki bean.

"*Pat*. Used for flour and made into *dawk* (*dok*), a substance like a solid dumpling; also as porridge."